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APPLICANT: Y. Suzuki, et al

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GROUP ART UNIT: 1745

FILED: June 12, 2001

EXAMINER: Laura S. Weiner

FOR: "GEL ELECTROLYTE AND NONAQUEOUS ELECTROLYTE BATTERY"

AMENDMENT "A"

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SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ Additional claim fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	14	MINUS	20		<input type="checkbox"/> X 9.00 <input type="checkbox"/> X 18.00	\$
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	3		<input type="checkbox"/> X 42.00 <input type="checkbox"/> X 84.00	\$
Application amended to contain any multiple dependent claims not previously paid for.				<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	<input type="checkbox"/> \$140.00 <input type="checkbox"/> \$280.00 ONE TIME	
				TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT		\$ 0

- ☐ Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend this time for response to the Office Action dated _____ for ____ month so that the period for response is extended to _____.
- ☐ The Commissioner is requested and authorized to charge the amount of \$ _____ for the ____ month extension fee to **American Express Account No. xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx**. Form 2038 is attached for that purpose.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to account No. 19-3140. PTO Customer Account No. 26263. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

When phoning re this application, please call 312/876-8000 - Ext. 18994.

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